

17 September 1953

MEMORANDUM FOR: Colonel White

1. At the time we made our original study (Tab A) we questioned the need for using cables for certain administrative reports but concluded that in all cases they were necessary.

2. On the basis of a memorandum from [REDACTED] to the Executive Assistant to the Director, we asked our offices to again look into this question and advise us if any reports which are now being cabled can be submitted by dispatch. After we get a reply from our offices, I recommend making some kind of report showing what we can do to comply with General Cabell's directive. At that time I would suggest that we point out that any action we take will not materially reduce the volume of cable traffic. I don't think that General Cabell understands that our share of the 3,618 cables which were reviewed was 218 or that, of the 64 cables that should have been handled by dispatch, our share was 12.

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